

LAND EXPERT IS TO VISIT CITY

Dr. Elwood Mead, of Agriculture Dept., Is to Be Here on Thursday.

Dr. Elwood Mead, called the best authority on rural credits and father of the soldier settlement act, is to be in El Paso Thursday. He is accompanied by the department of agriculture under secretary Franklin K. Lane, who is sponsoring congressional legislation for soldier settlement, and is chairman of the central east committee of the reclamation service.

Dr. Mead will confer with the high line canal committee of the chamber of commerce. Arrangements are being made to give a luncheon in his honor at which the public will be welcome. Through arrangements have not been completed, it was announced Monday that the luncheon would probably be held at the Hotel El Paso at noon.

This was one of the military routes as at the meeting of the Dona Ana county farm bureau at Mesilla Park, N. M., last Saturday.

The value of the high line canal as a factor in the development of farmland from the vast acreage of the southwest under the proposed soldier settlement act was pointed out by H. H. Brooks, who has charge of the collection of data for the government on this project, at the farm bureau meeting.

Speaking of the twosome which could be derived from the irrigation canal, Mr. Brooks showed where the proceeds from the sale of power would be sufficient to pay almost all the charges against the land for the construction of the dam. He went into details with reference to the benefits which the high line canal would provide in the drainage of lands under the proposed system and the advantage which would be gained by El Paso and the surrounding country from the benefits of an abundant water supply.

L. M. Lawson, El Paso Valley project manager, J. A. Smith, president of the El Paso Valley Water Users Association, George H. Lefkowitz, chairman of the high line canal committee of the El Paso chamber of commerce, and Mal Richard E. Dargatz, were present at the meeting.

Prof. Garvin of the Agricultural College discussed various diseases and explained a number of practical tests by which they could be detected upon orchard trees, and gave directions for pruning and the treatment of diseases.

TAKES 35 TO LEAVENWORTH

Men Convicted of Gun Robbery and Federico Cervantes Go to Prison.

A special Pullman coach in charge of a deputy United States marshal and nine guards, conveying 35 federal prisoners, most of whom were sentenced during the present term of the United States district court, left at 8:30 Saturday night over the Rock Island for Leavenworth, Kan. Among the prisoners were Sergt. Ernest Shubert, John Henry Binneman, soldiers from Fort Bliss and Dick Harrell, who were sentenced to two years each at Leavenworth on their pleas of guilty to a charge of stealing arms and ammunition from the government. George Holmes and Frank Miller, who were jointly indicted with them, and found guilty after trial by jury, are now in full-pending the perfection of their appeals.

Federico Cervantes, Benito Garcia, Jemp Chiron, Manuel Iossa and Rafael Churilo, under sentence of two years each, and Magdalena Flores, under sentence of 18 months, who were convicted of setting on foot a military expedition against Mexico, were among the prisoners.

Others taken in the Leavenworth penitentiary were E. C. Baum, sentenced to a year and a day; H. Q. Blumworth, sentenced to four years; and M. C. Melmon, sentenced to four years, on conviction of violating the Harrison narcotics act; S. L. Dunohue, who pleaded guilty to the theft of two lots of cigars from interstate shipments which were in railroad cars in the El Paso yards; Gus Beam, given one year and a day on conviction of sending an obscene letter through the mail; Pete Flores, two years for entering without a passport; Herbert L. Fick, two years, on conviction of violation of the Mann act; Samuel Levitt, a year and a day, on conviction of attempting to bribe a federal officer. Also Ramon Bonacera, one year; Ruperto Jordan, one year; Fernando Llorente, two years; Hipolito Miranda, one year; Jim Morgan, 18 months; Pedro Mayor, one year; Manuel Morales, one year; Juan Morales, one year; Dionisio Pacheco, one year; Marcelino Reinos, one year; Jose Yaquez, one year; Phil Holman, one year; Juan Calderon, two years; Luis Silva, one year; Liane Asseta, one year; Martin Flores, 18 months; and Pedro Lara, one year.

P. S. Purman, who is to be delivered to federal officers at Clarksville, Miss., where he is wanted in connection with the theft of 1500 from an express car, was also on the special car which left for Leavenworth.

Way To Jail May Lead To Altar If Couple Has Sayso

Officers Arrest Orman L. Whittingham, 18, and Marion Powell, 16.

Following an alleged attempt of Orman L. Whittingham, 18 years old, and Marion Powell, 16, daughter of Ben Powell, 2215 Montana street, to elope, Whittingham is held in the county jail pending the action of the district attorney.

According to officials, Whittingham and the girl left El Paso Saturday, May 19, in a service car. The officers say the young couple went to a point near Newman, N. M. Later they are said to have gone to the railroad station at Newman and to have bought tickets to a small station nearby, going from there to the Lee ranch. At the latter place they were arrested by officers from Alamogordo.

Ben Powell went to Alamogordo and returned with the couple Sunday. According to the authorities, the boy and girl have repeatedly attempted to get married, but each time the objection of their parents interfered. Both of the young people have signified their desire to marry and it is possible that a ceremony will terminate the affair.

JOHN A. WRIGHT OFFICIALLY THANKED BY WAR BOARD
Lawrence Mennel, secretary of the War Trade Board in Washington, D. C., has transmitted to John A. Wright of El Paso, a certified copy of a resolution of that body thanking the latter for his efficient service as special agent of the board at this point during the period of the war.

Resolved, that the War Trade Board hereby extend to Mr. Wright their thanks for the valuable services which he has rendered to the board as special agent of the board in El Paso, Texas, and the board further expresses to Mr. Wright their full appreciation of the able, conscientious and efficient manner in which he discharged the duties of this office.

The board accepted Mr. Wright's resignation on April 8 to take effect April 24. He has resumed his former business as customs broker.

ROBBY IN POLICE SERGEANT
R. T. Robby has been appointed acting police sergeant on the night shift at the police station, by acting chief of police Harry Phoenix, to replace sergeant C. S. Houston, who is absent from the force on vacation.

MAP MAKER HERE TO SOUVENIR TRAILS

Good Building Booming; Good Year for Tourists, Says Harry Locke.

Harry Locke, the publisher of Locke's Goodroad maps of local and transcontinental automobile routes, arrived in El Paso Monday morning on his customary annual trip for re-charting and remapping old routes and mapping new roads. Mr. Locke spent a month between El Paso and Los Angeles, traveling over 2000 miles.

"The route of the southwest shows marked improvement over last year to a great many places," said Mr. Locke. "There is more construction in progress and completed than has been undertaken in a great many years."

Roads to California.
"I found the best road from El Paso to California is the one going by way of Mesilla Park, Deming, Lordsburg, Rodeo, Douglas, Bisbee, Tombstone, Empire Ranch, Tucson, Florence, Phoenix, Salt Lake, Denver, Parkersburg, Harlow, San Bernardino and Los Angeles."

"The El Paso-Big Bend road between Phoenix and Los Angeles, which is the shorter route, cannot be used," he continued, "until September, as the ferry on the Colorado river is not able to operate because of high water. Vast stretches of sand make the Yuma road a slow and hot trip."

"Between Lordsburg and Phoenix the option is given of going along the southern route to Tucson, thereby saving about 50 miles but the road conditions are not so good as on the Douglas-Bisbee route."

Another popular route to California is by Elephant Butte dam. Secured and secured along the National Old Trails road, which gives an opportunity of visiting the Grand Canyon in northern Arizona, he said.

There is at present a great deal of travel from the west to Texas oil fields. On the way here Mr. Locke found hundreds of cars waiting in the oil towns, most of whom passed through El Paso.

Mr. Locke will leave here for New Orleans within the next few days.

National Livestock Exchange Ends Meet
Pittsburg, Pa., May 18.—With the selection of Chicago for next year's meeting place, the 31st annual convention of the National Livestock Exchange closed its three day session here this afternoon. Officers elected were:

HOBBY URGES SUPPORT OF HOMESTEAD MEASURE
Gov. W. P. Hobby, in a wire to the chamber of commerce on Monday, urges that the chamber of commerce do what it can to enlist the interest of the voters in the proposed bill to extend state credit to developing farming and the acquiring of land for agricultural purposes. His telegram reads:

"To settle the title lands of Texas and develop the agricultural industry of the state with home owners no more important measure has yet been proposed than the home ownership amendment to be voted on next Saturday. I hope your body will use its influence and appoint a special committee to get out a full and complete vote on behalf of this measure for the development of Texas."

The bill provides for an amendment to the present constitution by which the state may lend its credit for the purpose of assisting worthy farmers to obtain homes. Under the present constitution credit may not be extended for this purpose. Similar legislation is now in operation in California, Oklahoma and Kansas.

It is recognized that the law tends toward paternalism, but if carefully formulated would do much to develop Texas. The application of the law and the method of extending credit would, of course, grow out of legislation, once the general idea of extension of state credit was approved by the voters of the state.

JAPANESE AND HIS STAFF HERE ON COITON BUSINESS
Mr. Suzuki, director general of the Sumitomo company of Osaka, Japan, with a staff consisting of M. Kudo, N. Hidaka, M. Tatemoto and S. Suzuki, was a guest of the Hotel El Paso last night. Mr. Suzuki, who is the head of a big copper mining, smelting and copper manufacturing concern known as the Sumitomo company, stated that he was making a tour of the United States investigating the copper industry in all its phases from the mine to the smelter. He had just been in Miami, Ariz., and they left Sunday morning for Colorado Springs, Col.

"While Japan produces only about one tenth of the copper produced in the United States," said Mr. Suzuki through his interpreter, "our country is second in the world in the output of that metal."

PHILIP T. LONERGAN TO LEAVE INDIAN SERVICE
Albuquerque, N. M., May 18.—Philip T. Lonergan, who for eight years has been in charge of the New Mexico Pueblo Indian agency, announced here last night that he had sent his resignation to Indian commissioner Carl Sells, to be effective September 1. Mr. Lonergan entered the Indian service 15 years ago at Fort Huachuca, Ariz.

LAW BARRING SHIPMENT OF MIGRATORY BIRDS UPHOLD
Washington, D. C., May 18.—The South Dakota law of 1909, prohibiting shipments of migratory birds killed by hunters, was today upheld by the supreme court in sustaining the conviction under that statute of W. E. Carey, found guilty of shipping 15 wild ducks to Charles Comiskey, owner of the Chicago American league baseball club.

MEXICAN PUBLISHER HERE.
Jose Healy, editor of the Orientacion, of Hermosillo, Sonora, is in El Paso for the purpose of enlisting the support of the business men in the publication of a directory for the state of Sonora. He wishes to include the names of El Paso firms in his directory, setting forth a classified list of their merchandise. The chamber of commerce is assisting Mr. Healy in this work as a part of its trade extension program.

POKES FOR FILM AT THE WIGWAM

Little Mary in "Capt. Kidd, Jr.," Her Only New Picture in Eight Months.

There's a new Mary Pickford picture at the Wigwam today, and it is the first one released in eight months. It is called "Capt. Kidd, Jr.," and "Little Mary" has the role of a little Scotch-American who saved her money, but finally was induced to use it in search for a treasure. She found a treasure all right, but not the one she was looking for. It's a good story, a good production and a pleasing romance with many humorous touches in it.

Thursday: "The Craving." Here is a wonder picture. It is a stirring drama with wonderful photographic effects. Bathing girls are poured out of a bottle and swim in a man's wine glass. There are four different exposures in one of the remarkable scenes. Don't miss this unusual production.—Adv.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS
WILLIAM FARNUM—ALHAMBRA.
William Farnum, interpreter of dramatic roles, has an entirely satisfactory medium in the William Fox picture, "The Jungle Trail," in which he has been cast as the Alhambra theater. The play abounds in thrills of the Farnum sort and is steeped in the atmosphere of the jungle. The climactic scene, was done at Miami, Fla., and the effect certainly is quite as tropical as if the work actually had been done on the dark continent.

There is a strong and predominant love theme running through "The Jungle Trail," based on the rivalry of two New Yorkers for the hand of a young woman. The action, however, after the first few scenes, is largely in Africa and the thrill is introduced in consequence of the attempts made on the life of the hero of the story. Mr. Farnum is ably supported by a large cast and the photography of the picture is one of its features. It will be shown again today.—Adv.

ELLANAY—"A REGULAR FELLOW."
Today is positively the last day to see Taylor Holmes, who is appearing at the Ellanay theater in "A Regular Fellow."

"A Regular Fellow" can certainly be termed as a regular picture, and we advise the regular guys to bring their regular girls to see it.

In this picture Taylor Holmes is a woman hater who, lured by beauty, sets sail on the sea of romance and swims in an ocean of love when he jumps overboard for joy.

Be sure to see this picture at the Ellanay theater today. It is your last chance.

Tomorrow the Ellanay presents dimpled Dorothy Dalton in her biggest hit since "Hard Boiled." "The Home Breaker"—Adv.

GRECIAN—NORMA TALMADGE.
The attraction at the Grecian theater for today, tomorrow and Wednesday is "The Social Secretary," which beautiful Norma Talmadge is the star.

In this picture Norma Talmadge has a part of great appeal to the heart, also there are moments where this great actress plays on the human emotions to such an extent that you laugh and cry at the same time.

"The Social Secretary" is a picture which will surely please the most critical photoplay fan. Don't fail to see it at the Grecian theater either today, tomorrow or Wednesday.—Adv.

GOOD PICTURE AT ELIOT.
The Eljona theater will present today a Paramount picture, "What Moore Can't Buy," starring the two popular screen favorites, Jack Pickford and Louise Huff. It's good. Don't miss seeing it today. Tom Mix in "The Coming of the Law," a new five reel feature, is the bill for Thursday. All new Tom Mix pictures are shown exclusively at the Eljona theater.—Adv.

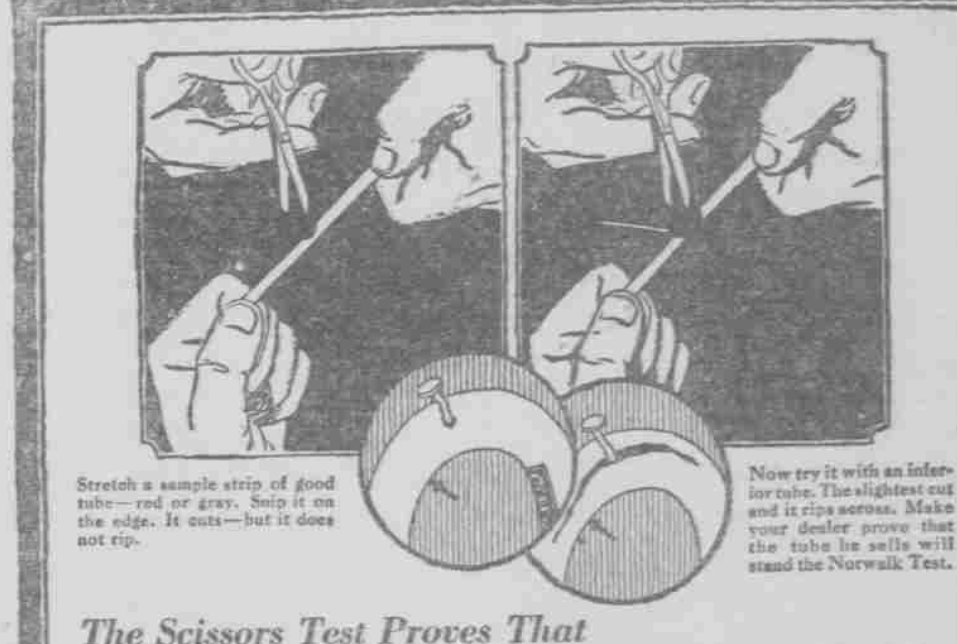
DOUGLAS FAIRBANKS TODAY.
The Eljona will show "American Aristocracy" today, featuring Douglas Fairbanks. "Doug" flies hydroplanes, jumps walls, plunges down cliffs and does most everything except break his neck in "American Aristocracy." Be sure to see it at the Eljona theater today and Wednesday in "Harris Astoria"—Adv.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE HAS COPY OF NEW WEIGHTS LAW
A copy of the state uniform weights and measures law, effective June 23, governing the sale of hay, seed, vegetables and other commodities which are usually sold in bulk or in packages of varying weights and stevedores have received by the chamber of commerce.

Under its provisions it is unlawful to sell or offer for sale food, feed or other commodities in packages unless the quantity of the contents be plainly and conspicuously marked on the outside of the package or container, giving the weight, measure or numerical count of the contents of the package. Standards determining the number of pounds per bushel for various grains, foods and feeds are also set out in the act.

RECKLESS DRIVING CHARGE.
Jose Anaya, while driving a motor cycle, ran into a park bus at Alameda street and Magoffin avenue last Saturday afternoon and was slightly injured. Manuel Laveria, who was driving the bus, was charged with reckless driving.

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You people who have some surplus money simply cannot turn your back on this development. We do not ask you to come in as a civic duty. The duty is there, but the impelling motive is far more personal—the chances are that your investment will yield you tremendous returns, that it will get you more money, and more of the desirable things that money buys, than you can reasonably expect to enjoy from the savings of a life time. This is not "chatter," but a statement of possibilities as they exist. If we can prove up our holdings as being on oil land, it is simple arithmetic to figure the cash value of these holdings.

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We are out to win and there is a strong underlying confidence established in this town that this development is to be a success. The facts as we know them are in our favor. We say that there are mighty few people in El Paso who are not going to own some stock in this company. There will be two classes who will not be with us—those who have no money, and those who wait too long in making up their minds to get in. Do not lose out by default—mail your check today.

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SOUTHERN PRESBYTERIANS WOULD UNITE CHURCHES
New Orleans, La., May 19.—Federal union of all Presbyterian and reformed churches of the United States was recommended in a report of the conference committee on federal union at Saturday's session of the 27th general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States, known as the Southern Presbyterian church.

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